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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 16, 2005. The Examiner has required an election between Species Group I, claims 1-18; Species Group II, claims 19-34; Species Group III, claims 35-42; and Species Group IV, claims 43.

Applicants elect Species Group I, claims 1-18 without traverse.

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If there are any remaining issues or questions regarding this election and response to the restriction requirement that may be clarified by telephone, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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